

BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF  
SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKET NO. 1992-299-C - ORDER NO. 2003-488

AUGUST 6, 2003

IN RE:	Application of Telmatch Telecommunications,	)	ORDER CANCELLING
	Inc. d/b/a Benefits Plus for a Certificate of	)	CERTIFICATE AND
	Public Convenience and Necessity to Resell	)	WITHDRAWING
	Intrastate Long Distance Telecommunications	)	TARIFF
	Services within the State of South Carolina.	)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") on the request of Telmatch Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a Benefits Plus ("Telmatch" or the "Company") to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide intrastate resold long distance telecommunications in the State of South Carolina. A review of the docket file reveals that the Commission granted Telmatch authority to operate as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services in South Carolina by Order No. 92-914, dated October 21, 1992, which granted in the Company's original name of Sun Belt Line, Inc. d/b/a Telmatch Telecommunications. Thereafter, Commission Order No. 2000-0204, dated February 28, 2000, was issued which granted a name change of the Company to its present name of Telmatch Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a Benefits Plus.

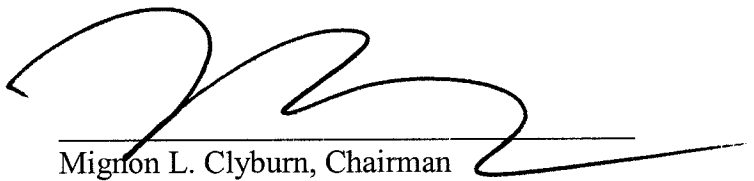
Telmatch, by a letter dated July 21, 2003 from the Company's legal counsel, advised the Commission that Telmatch was requesting cancellation of its Certificate to provide resold intrastate telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina and withdrawal of the Company's tariff. Telmatch asserts in its request that the Company

intends to cease operations within the State of South Carolina. According to Telmatch, the Company has no customers within South Carolina nor does Telmatch intend to operate in South Carolina in the future.

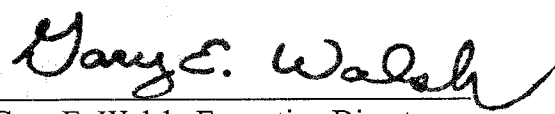
As Telmatch intends to no longer provide the services for which the Company's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity was granted, the Commission finds and concludes that Telmatch's Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold intrastate telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina should be cancelled, and the Company's tariff withdrawn.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

1. The Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide resold intrastate telecommunications services within the State of South Carolina authorized by Order No. 92-914, dated October 21, 1992, issued in the instant docket to Telmatch Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a Benefits Plus (f/k/a Sun Belt Line, Inc. d/b/a Telmatch Telecommunications) is hereby cancelled, and the Company's tariff is hereby withdrawn.
2. This Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

  
Mignon L. Clyburn, Chairman

ATTEST:

  
Gary E. Walsh, Executive Director  
(SEAL)